

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
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 Painter, *et al.*) Art Unit: 3623
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 Application No. 10/828,649) Examiner: Boyce, Andre D.
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 Filing Date: April 21, 2005) Confirmation No.: 4927
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 For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR)
 SELECTING QUALIFICATION FORMS)
 FOR FINANCIAL SERVICES AND)
 FINANCIAL PRODUCTS)

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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Dear Sir:

Applicant or patent owner hereby appeals under 37 C.F.R. § 41.31 to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated December 9, 2010, finally rejecting claims 21-27.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. An extension of time to respond to the final rejection:
(a) was obtained for _____ month(s).
(b) is requested herewith under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136.
2. A credit card payment is submitted herewith *via* EFS Web in the amount of \$1,650.00.

This amount is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

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3. Appeal fee amount pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1) = \$540.00 for a small entity
- Extension of time fee amount pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) = \$1,110.00 (Small Entity)

4. Enclosed is a Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review and ___ sheets of reasons.

Respectfully submitted,

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